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ADPCM, AND MULTIPLE DATA CHANNEL  
CONNECTIVITY TO T1 AND E1 CIRCUITS

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AMENDMENT A

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 3, 2003,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the specification:

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On page 6, lines 19-27, change the paragraph to read  
as follows:

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For convenience, data traveling from left to right in  
FIGs. 1, 2 and 4 will normally be considered as traveling  
in the forward direction. Data traveling from right to  
left will usually be considered as traveling in the reverse  
direction. Further, "servicing" a channel of a T-carrier  
will include not only receiving data from the channel, but  
also inserting data into the channel for transmission in  
the opposite direction.